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Years ago, high school student PETER PARKER was bitten by a radioactive spider and gained the speed, agility, and proportional strength of a spider as well as the ability to stick to walls and a spider-sense that warned him of imminent danger. After learning that with great power there must also come great responsibility, he became the crime-fighting super hero…

the AMAZING SPIDER-MAN

After swapping his brain into Peter's body, one of Spider-Man's greatest enemies, DOCTOR OCTOPUS, set out to prove himself the SUPERIOR SPIDER-MAN. He also completed Peter's PhD, fell in love with a woman named Anna Maria Marconi, and started his own company, "Parker Industries." But in the end Doc Ock realized that in order to be a true hero, he had to sacrifice himself and gave control of Peter's body back to Peter.

So, Peter Parker is back! He has a new lease on life and absolutely no idea what went on while he was gone, including the fact that Electro's powers are out of control. And the Black Cat, his one-time friend and lover, now HATES Spider-Man.

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PARKER INDUSTRIES.
OVER ON PIER 64.
PARKER
ALL RIGHT, PEOPLE. HERE WE GO!
ANTI-ELECTRO NETTING: TEST NUMBER ONE.
READY, PERCY?
LET 'ER RIP!
YES, MR. PARKER.
ZZRAKK
WE ARE AT HALF POWER.
THE NETTING IS HOLDING!
ANYTHING WE CAN DO TO RE-CREATE ACTUAL CONDITIONS?
SIR? WOULD IT HELP...
...IF I SAID "DIE, SPIDER-MAN! DIE!"?
NOT REALLY, PERCY.
BUT POINTS FOR INITIATIVE.
LET'S TRY THAT AGAIN. AND THIS TIME, INCREASE THE POWER TO--
ONE SEC.
BREEP BREEP
YES!
PETER? WHAT IS IT?

SHH. ANNA, OVER HERE.
THIS A SPIDER-MAN THING?
YEAH. THE AVENGERS ARE CALLING IN EVERYBODY. IT'S A CODE OMEGA.
A KISS-THE-WORLD-GOODBYE SCENARIO. ISN'T THAT GREAT?!
WHAT?! HOW IS THAT GREAT?
BECAUSE THEY WANT ME THERE. GOOD OL' RELIABLE SPIDEY!
BACK WHEN DOC OCK TOOK OVER MY BODY...
...HE BURNT A LOT OF BRIDGES WITH ALL OF MY "SUPER-FRIENDS."
BUT THEY SENT OUT THE CALL. THEY WANT ME WATCHING THEIR BACKS!
I GOTTA GO!
PETER! YOU CAN'T KEEP DOING THIS.
YOU'RE RUNNING A COMPANY NOW! LET SOMEONE ELSE FILL IN FOR YOU!
RIGHT! LIKE ANYONE ELSE COULD DO WHAT SPIDER-MAN DOES! PLEASE!
MARCONI, YOU SEEN PARKER?
HEY, SAJANI. HE'S... OUT.
BUT THERE'S A REALLY GOOD REASON THIS TIME. YOU SEE--
NO! I'M DONE WITH HIS EXCUSES. I DON'T EVEN CARE IF...

"...IT'S THE END OF THE WORLD!"
WHOA! THESE MINDLESS ONES! THEY'RE EVERYWHERE! WHAT SHOULD WE--
THING! FALCON! KITTY PRYDE, GOOD TO SEE YOU!
IT'S ME, SPIDEY! NOT DOC OCK.
SPIDEY.
WHAT'RE YOU ON ABOUT?
JUST THAT MY BRAIN'S BACK IN MY BODY.
IF YOU COULD PASS THAT ALONG TO THE OTHER X-MEN, THAT'D BE GREAT.
HULK! WOLVIE! DON'T KNOW IF YOU HEARD...
...BUT I GOT MIND-SWAPPED WITH--
KID, SHUT UP! NOW'S NOT THE TIME!
THE GUYS WE'RE FIGHTIN'--THEY MURDERED THE WATCHER! GOUGED OUT HIS EYES...
...AND STOLE HIS TECH! Y'KNOW WHAT THAT STUFF COULD DO IN THE WRONG HANDS?
THE WATCHER? AW MAN. I DIDN'T KNOW.
NOW I FEEL LIKE A JERK. WHAT CAN WE DO?
WE'RE WORKIN' ON IT, WEBS.
ONE OF THESE CRUMBS IS DOWN, NOW WE GOTTA FIND THE OTHERS WHO--
PUT THE EYE DOWN AND STEP AWAY!

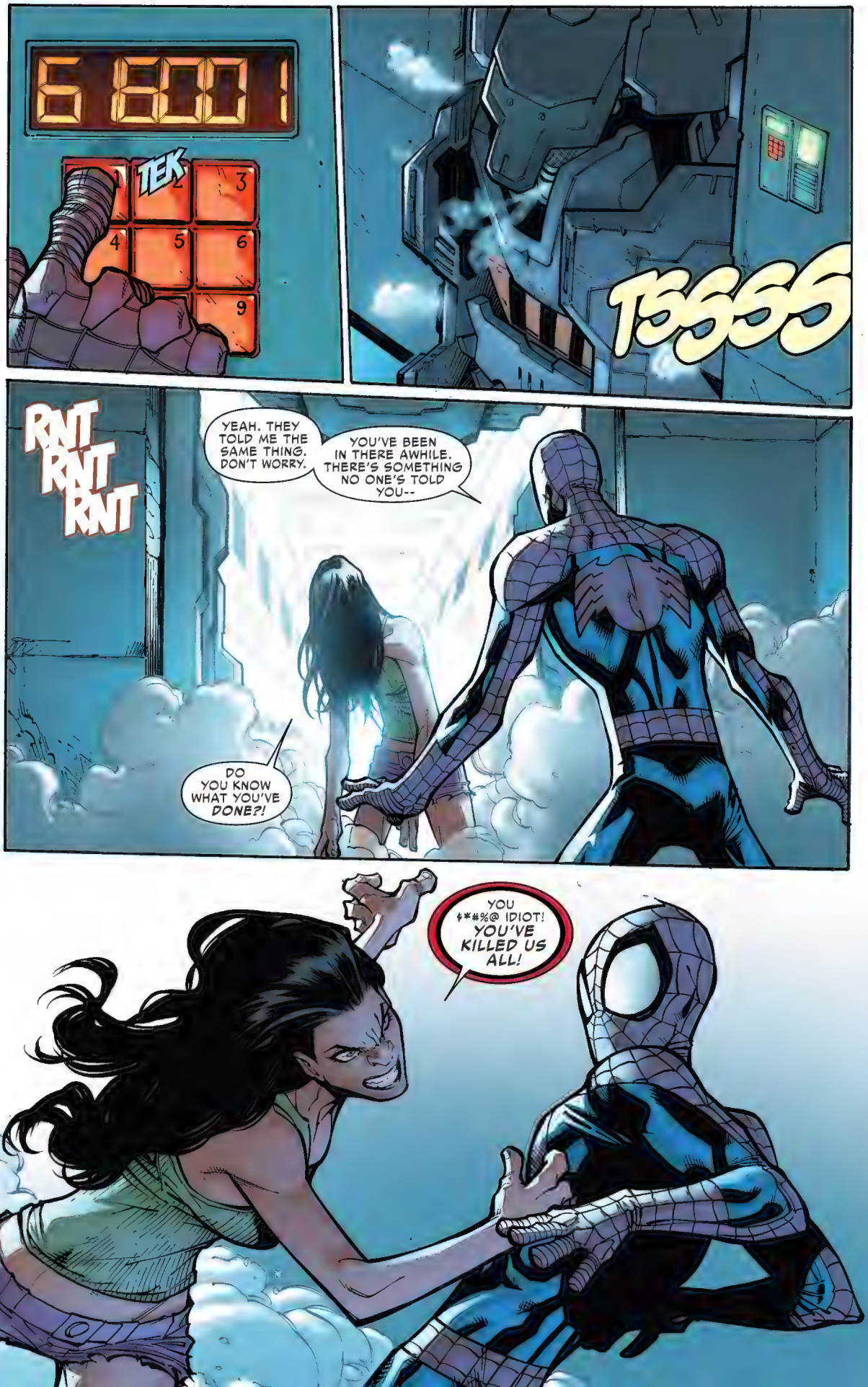
THIS ISN'T AN EYE. NOT ANYMORE. IT'S A BOMB!
A BOMB FULL OF SECRETS. AND WHAT DO BOMBS DO?
THEY GO BOOM!
SO MANY PRETTY LITTLE SECRETS. ALL NOW OUT IN THE WILD.
THIS WILL BE FUN TO WATCH.
THAT--THAT WAS ONE OF THE WATCHER'S EYES?!
BUT THE WATCHER'S SEEN... EVERYTHING.
AHH! MILLIONS OF SECRETS!
THINGS THAT WERE KEPT FROM ME!
FILLING MY HEAD ALL AT ONCE!

THE SPIDER!
AFTER IT BIT ME--
--IT BIT SOMEONE ELSE?! A GIRL?
I--NEVER KNEW! WHO IS SHE?
CINDY!
MOM! DAD! CAN'T CONTROL IT!
MR. AND MRS. MOON, I CAN HELP.
I AM FAMILIAR WITH SUCH THINGS. MY NAME'S--
EZEKIEL?!
YES. YOU'RE MAKING EXCELLENT PROGRESS.
PERHAPS EVEN TOO FAST.
IT'S AS I FEARED.
WE DON'T HAVE A CHOICE...
...YOU MUST STAY INSIDE UNTIL WE KNOW FOR SURE.

WHAT...JUST HAPPENED?
WAS I THE ONLY ONE WHO SAW...
WHO SAW...OH, NO...
I--I CAN'T STAY HERE!
THAT GIRL! ALL THIS TIME SHE'S BEEN--
ANOTHER FLASH.
SOMETHING THAT HAPPENED AFTER SPIDER-ISLAND.
MADAME WEB. SHE TOLD ME...
IF YOU WANT, YOU CAN STOP. THE WEB WILL REWEAVE ITSELF AND ANOTHER SPIDER-MAN WILL TAKE YOUR PLACE.
SHE WAS THE ONE MADAME WEB MEANT. THAT GIRL. CINDY MOON.
SHE COULD'VE REPLACED ME. AGES AGO!

SHE'S HERE. I CAN FEEL IT. IN EZEKIEL'S OLD BUILDING.
THIS IS WHERE HE SEALED HER IN. IN THE SAME PLACE...
...WHERE HE WAS GONNA DO THE SAME THING TO ME!
WAY BACK IN AMAZING SPIDER-MAN: COMING HOME! -KNOWLEDGEABLE KNICK
HAD A BUNKER FOR ME UP ON THE TOP FLOOR.
SAID HE HAD IT MADE YEARS BEFORE HE KNEW I WAS SPIDER-MAN.
LIAR!
KLANG!
THIS MEANS EZEKIEL KNEW FROM DAY ONE! HE ALWAYS KNEW! ABOUT BOTH OF US!
LOOK AT THIS PLACE. DESERTED. NO ONE'S BEEN DOWN HERE FOR MONTHS.
WAS HE EVER GOING TO LET YOU GO?
HOW MANY LIES DID EZEKIEL SIMS TELL US?
AND HE WAS GOING TO KEEP US IN CAGES.
ME UP TOP...
...AND YOU ALL THE WAY BELOW.
HELLO, PETER.
WHAT?!
DON'T BE ALARMED. THIS IS AN AUTOMATED MESSAGE. IF YOU'RE HEARING THIS...
IT MEANS SENSORS HAVE DETECTED YOU'RE HERE, AND THAT YOU'VE COME ALONE.
BUT WHAT'S TRULY IMPROBABLE...
AR

...THIS MEANS THAT YOU HAVE SURVIVED MORLUN'S ATTACK. AND I HAVEN'T.
IF THAT'S THE CASE, THERE'S SOMETHING YOU SHOULD KNOW. YOU ARE NOT ALONE.
THERE'S ANOTHER LIKE YOU. A SPIDER. AND THERE'S A REASON I'VE KEPT THIS FROM YOU, PETER--
THWAK
I'M DONE LISTENING TO YOU!
HELLO? SOMEONE OUT THERE?!
CINDY? CINDY MOON? CAN YOU HEAR ME? IT'S SPIDER-MAN.
WHAT?! FOR REAL? IT'S YOU?!
YEAH. AND I'M HERE TO GET YOU OUT. NO ONE SHOULD HAVE TO LIVE LIKE THIS.
DON'T ASK ME HOW, BUT I KNOW THE CODE.
6800-
TEK TEK TEK
DON'T! YOU CAN'T! DIDN'T THEY TELL YOU WHAT WOULD HAPPEN?!
IF YOU OPEN THAT DOOR...
...MORLUN WILL COME.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TSSSS
RNT RNT RNT
YEAH. THEY TOLD ME THE SAME THING. DON'T WORRY.
YOU'VE BEEN IN THERE AWHILE. THERE'S SOMETHING NO ONE'S TOLD YOU--
DO YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'VE DONE?!
YOU ♦**%@ IDIOT! YOU'VE KILLED US ALL!

FAR, FAR AWAY...
WHAT WAS THAT?
SNFF
THE SPIDER-BRIDE.
THERE YOU ARE.
THE SPINNER AT THE CENTER OF THE WEB.
IT'S TIME. THE GREAT HUNT BEGINS.
FROM THIS MOMENT ON...

"...LET ALL HELL BREAK LOOSE!"
MORLUN KNOWS! HE'LL DEVOUR EVERY LAST ONE OF US!
GORGE HIMSELF ON ALL OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS!
WOW! SHE'S EVERYWHERE!
HER SPIDER-SPEED HAS MINE BEAT!
OKAY, TWO THINGS.
ONE: I'M AN ONLY CHILD. AND TWO...
...THERE'S SOMETHING YOU REALLY NEED TO HEAR ABOUT MORLUN.
THINK I GOT THE EDGE ON HER IN THE SPIDER-STRENGTH DEPARTMENT.
GNH!
WHY SHOULD I LISTEN TO ANYTHING YOU HAVE TO SAY?
DAMN! BUT HER SPIDER-SENSE? NOT EVEN A CONTEST.
THAT'S MATRIX/BULLET-TIME GOOD!
HE'S GONE. FOREVER.
WHAT?!
MORLUN'S DEAD, CINDY.
FOR REAL?
CROSS MY SPIDER-HEART.

SO MORLUN'S DEAD. AND I'M...
...FREE.
YUP. YOU'RE GOOD TO GO.
I'M FREE!
OUTSIDE! SKY! CLOUDS! SUN!
HOT FOOD ON STICKS!
HELLO, NEW YORK!
AH. RIGHT.
SUPER HERO SUIT.
GOT THAT COVERED.
WHOA THERE! NOT BOUNDING AROUND WITH SPIDER-POWERS IN YOUR CIVIES YOU DON'T. YOU NEED A MASK AND--
SWIPP
SWPPP

HEY. HOW ARE YOU DOING THAT?
PRACTICE. COSTUME ON THE GO. YOU LIKE?
WHEN I THINK OF THE MONEY I COULDA SAVED ON SPIDEY-SUITS OVER THE YEARS...
TA DA! HOW DO YOU LIKE MY THREADS?
CINDY, THEY'RE--
NUH-UH. NOT WHEN I'M WEBBED UP. WHEN I'M LIKE THIS, CALL ME--
SILK!

ENOUGH ALREADY! LET'S GO!

WOW. I ALMOST FORGOT...

...HOW *BIG* IT IS! JUST *LOOK* AT IT ALL!

C'MON!

CINDY--

SILK! SLOW DOWN!

SEEN YOU DO THIS A ZILLION TIMES.

ALWAYS WANTED TO TRY IT.

SWIP

SWEEEET!

YEAH. IT'S A HOOT AND A HALF.

NOW WHY DON'T WE BRING IT IN, HAVE A CHAT...

...AND FIGURE OUT WHERE WE GO NEXT FROM--

NEXT?! OH, I KNOW *EXACTLY* WHERE I'M GOING!

WAIT!

GREAT. I'M LOSING HER. NO WAY I CAN KEEP UP!

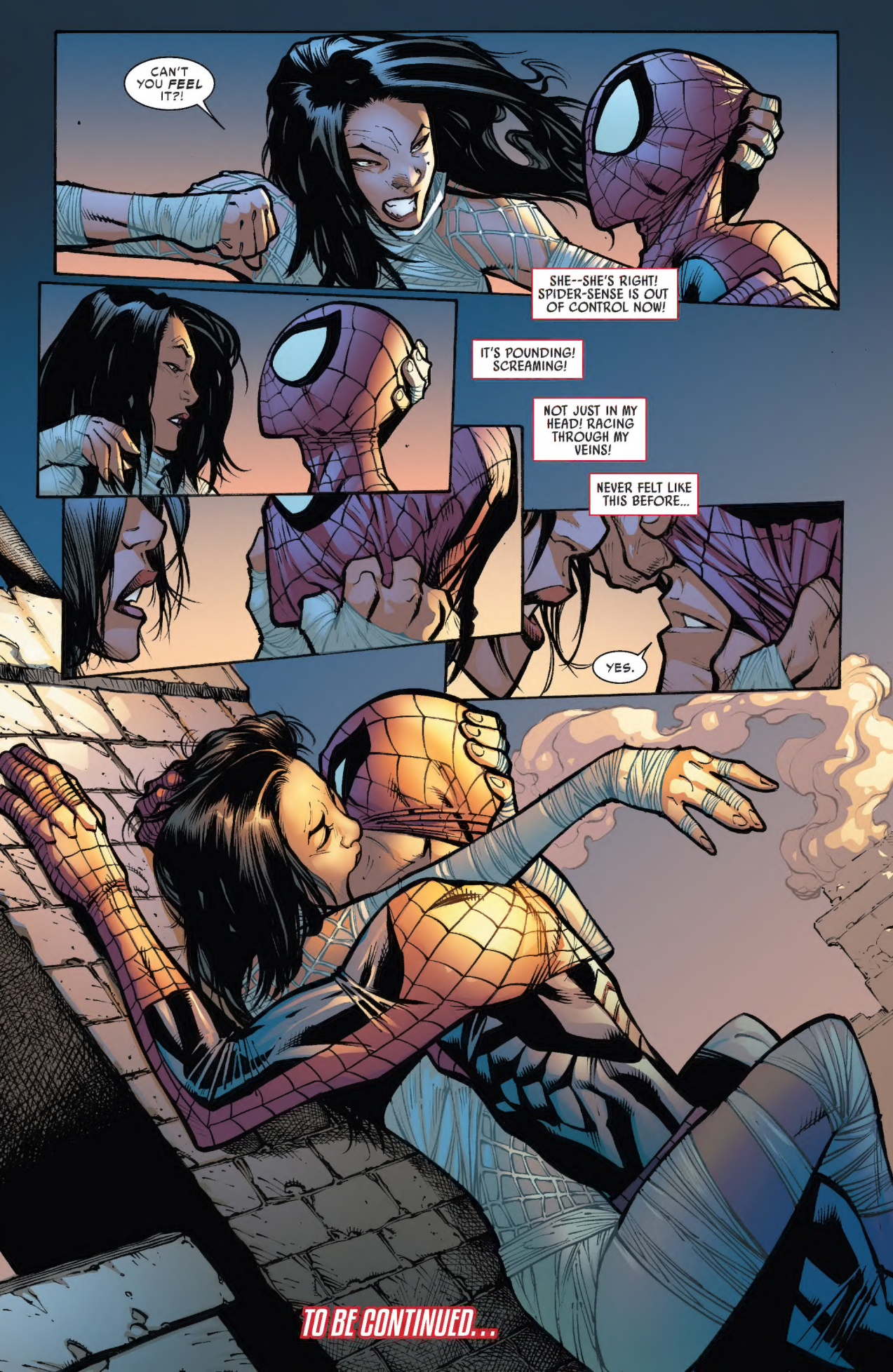
I'VE LET HER LOOSE, AND SHE HAS *NO* CLUE HOW THE WORLD'S CHANGED...

...OR WHAT DANGERS ARE OUT THERE.
...AND IF HE SOMEHOW BUSTS THE LOCK-- SPLOOSH!
HE'S COVERED HEAD-TO-TOE IN AN ELECTRIC-SUPPRESSING GEL!
GREAT PLAN. ONE FLAW THOUGH. HOW DOES HE BREATHE?
PRETTY SURE PARKER WANTS ELECTRO TO KEEP BREATHING.
CLICK
WON'T BE LONG...
...SOON I'LL HAVE PICS OF ALL THEIR PLANS...
...FOR ALL THE GOOD IT WILL DO ME.
I'M NO TECH EXPERT. WHAT I REALLY NEED TO STEAL FROM HERE...
...IS SOMEONE WHO CAN TELL ME HOW IT ALL WORKS.
PARKER, IT'S SAJANI. THIS IS MY LAST MESSAGE.
I'M DONE PUTTING UP WITH YOUR DISAPPEARING ACTS.
LET'S SEE HOW WELL YOU DEAL WITH EVERYTHING WHEN I'M SUDDENLY NOT THERE!
UMPH!
OH I COULDN'T'VE TIMED THAT BETTER IF I TRIED.
LUCKY ME.

I CAN'T EXPLAIN IT...
...BUT MY SPIDER-SENSE-- IT'S LEADING ME HERE. DRAWING ME TOWARDS HER.
IT'S NOT SUPPOSED TO WORK THAT WAY. IT'S ALWAYS STEERED ME *AWAY* FROM DANGER...
...NEVER *TOWARDS* SOMETHING. OR SOMEONE.
SILK? WHAT IS THIS PLACE?
IT'S MY HOME.
BUT...
THAT'S NOT MY FAMILY.
THEY'RE NOT--
THEY'VE MOVED.
I HAVE NO IDEA WHERE THEY ARE.
IF THEY'RE EVEN STILL ALIVE. I--
CINDY...

AND ALL BECAUSE OF A SPIDER BITE.
IT CHANGED ME. TOOK YEARS OF MY LIFE...
AND NOW MY FAMILY...
YOU WOULDN'T UNDERSTAND.
YOU'D BE SURPRISED.
DON'T WORRY. IF THEY'RE OUT THERE, WE'LL FIND THEM. I PROMISE.
I HAVE TO KNOW... HOW LONG AGO DID IT HAPPEN?
WHAT?
IT'S GOING TO EAT AT ME UNTIL YOU TELL ME.
WHEN COULD I HAVE LEFT THAT STUPID BUNKER?
WHEN EXACTLY DID MORLUN DIE?
"EXACTLY"? THAT'S... TRICKY.
WELL, THE FIRST TIME I LURED HIM INTO A--
WAIT!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN "THE FIRST TIME"?!
I'VE GONE UP AGAINST HIM TWICE. HE DIED BOTH TIMES.
LIKE I WAS SAYING, THE FIRST TIME--

TWICE?!
YOU MORON!
WHAK
OW! THAT WAS LIGHTNING FAST. NOTHING I COULD DO TO AVOID IT!
IT MEANS HE CAN COME BACK!
HE COULD BE OUT THERE SOMEWHERE RIGHT NOW!
WHY DID YOU--?
WELL, WHEN YOU PUT IT LIKE THAT...
YOU'RE JOKING?!
HOW DARE YOU?!
IT'S KINDA MY THING.
SWIP
ALL MY SACRIFICE! LOCKED AWAY FOR MOST OF MY LIFE!
AND YOU JUST MADE IT ALL FOR NOTHING!
GYAH!
HER WEB! THE TIP'S BARBED!
LIKE A FISHHOOK IN MY BACK! HOW'D SHE DO THAT?!
WE'RE ALL IN DANGER NOW!


CAN'T YOU FEEL IT?!
SHE--SHE'S RIGHT! SPIDER-SENSE IS OUT OF CONTROL NOW!
IT'S POUNDING! SCREAMING!
NOT JUST IN MY HEAD! RACING THROUGH MY VEINS!
NEVER FELT LIKE THIS BEFORE...
YES.
TO BE CONTINUED...